

## DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled METHOD OF PRODUCING GENETICALLY MODIFIED ASTROCYTES AND USES THEREOF, the specification of which

(check one) ☒ is attached hereto. ☐ was filed on July 6, 1992 as Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

| Prior Foreign Application(s) |           |                        | Priority Claimed |    |
|------------------------------|-----------|------------------------|------------------|----|
|                              |           |                        | Yes              | No |
| <u>none</u>                  | _____     | _____                  |                  |    |
| (Number)                     | (Country) | (Day/Month/Year Filed) |                  |    |
| _____                        | _____     | _____                  | Yes              | No |
| (Number)                     | (Country) | (Day/Month/Year Filed) |                  |    |
| _____                        | _____     | _____                  | Yes              | No |
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States applications(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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| <u>none</u>              | _____         | _____                                 |
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| (Application Serial No.) | (Filing Date) | (Status-patented, pending, abandoned) |

I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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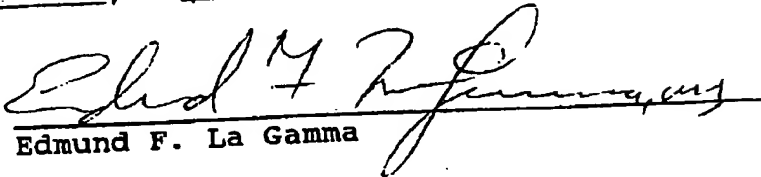
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NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we the said Edmund F. La Gamma, Gary Weisinger, Robert E. Strecker, and Nicholas J. Lenn have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto said THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION OF STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said improvements, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to the said THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION OF STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

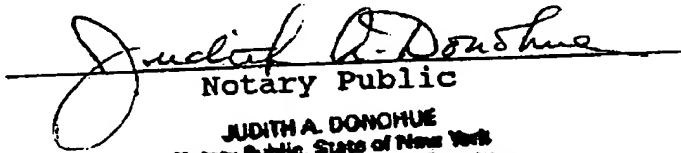
AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said **THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION OF STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said **THE RESEARCH FOUNDATION OF STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK**, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this  
10 day of July, 1992.

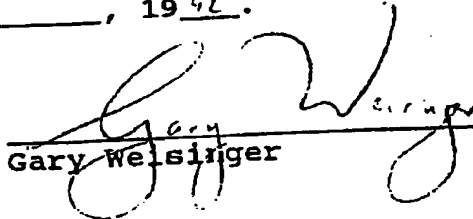
  
Edmund F. La Gamma

STATE OF New York )  
COUNTY OF Suffolk ) ss.:

On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1992, before me  
personally came Edmund F. La Gamma, to me known and known to me  
to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the  
foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free  
act and deed.

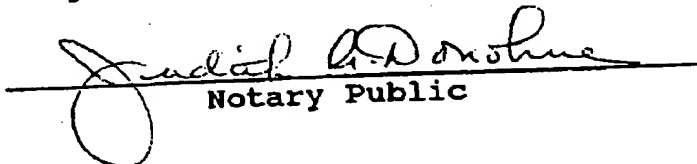
  
Notary Public  
JUDITH A. DONOHUE  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 52-4855781, Suffolk County  
Commission Expires August 25 1992

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this  
17 day of July, 1992.

  
Gary Weisinger

STATE OF New York )  
COUNTY OF Suffolk ) ss.:

On this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1992, before me  
personally came Gary Weisinger, to me known and known to me to be  
the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing  
instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and  
deed.

  
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this  
10 day of July, 1992.

Robert E. Strecker  
Robert E. Strecker

STATE OF New York )  
COUNTY OF Suffolk ) ss.:

On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1992, before me personally came Robert E. Strecker, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Judith A. Donohue  
Notary Public

JUDITH A. DONOHUE  
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this  
29 day of August, 1992.

Nicholas J. Lenn  
Nicholas J. Lenn

STATE OF )  
COUNTY OF ) ss.:

On this 28 day of August, 1992, before me personally came Nicholas J. Lenn, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

Joan R. Pantorno  
Notary Public

JOAN R. PANTORNO  
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